

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT COURT OF NEW MEXICO

STATE OF NEW MEXICO <i>ex rel.</i>)	
State Engineer, <i>et al.</i> ,)	
)	
Plaintiffs,)	69cv07941-BB
)	
vs.)	RIO CHAMA STREAM SYSTEM
)	
ROMAN ARAGON, <i>et al.</i> ,)	Section 3: Canjilon Creek
)	Subfile No. CHCJ-002-0008
Defendants.)	CHCJ-002-0023
)	CHCJ-003-0080

MOTION FOR SUBSTITUTION OF PARTIES

COMES NOW the Plaintiff State of New Mexico, *ex rel.* State Engineer and pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 25(a)(1) respectfully moves the Court to issue its order substituting JOHN J. SERRANO for defendant PACOMIO SERRANO in these proceedings, and as grounds states as follows:

1. Plaintiff has been informed that the defendant, Pacomio Serrano, is deceased.

WHEREFORE the State of New Mexico requests the Court enter its order substituting John J. Serrano for defendant Pacomio Serrano in these proceedings.

Dated: August 15, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the 15th day of August, 2007 I filed the foregoing electronically through the CM/ECF system and served the following non-CM/ECF participants in the manner indicated:

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